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THE OLD WORLD'S NEWS.

Fourteen Fatal Cases of Cholera at Marseilles—The Scourge at Toulon and Other Points.

A Fire in London Causes a Loss of \$250,000—Troubles of France in China and Madagascar.

Patti's Petition for a Divorce Likely to Be Refused—Russia Monopolizing the Seal-Skin Industry.

Other Foreign Affairs.

LATEST CABLE DISPATCHES. Marseilles, Aug. 16.—During the twenty-four hours ended at nine o'clock last night fourteen deaths occurred here from cholera.

Toulon, Aug. 16.—No deaths from cholera took place here yesterday. The record of cholera in the hospitals for yesterday is as follows: Admitted, 9; cured, 3; under treatment, 72. During the past twenty-four hours there were six deaths at Carcassonne, sixteen fresh cases and one death at Nîmes, seven deaths at Cette and three new cases at Vogue.

Toulon, Aug. 16.—There were three deaths from cholera here Thursday night. Dr. Maximilian Perz, Professor of the University of Bern, Switzerland, and a naval lieutenant were two of the victims. London, Aug. 16.—Advices just received state the French and Chinese iron-lads at Peking are cleared for action and, with steam up, are awaiting orders to attack. The Times asserts that France having rejected the mediation of England, Germany, or the United States, China has withdrawn her offer of indemnity. The same paper publishes a Hong Kong dispatch which states that China has declared war against France.

Berlin, Aug. 16.—Abbe Franz Liszt has become blind at Bayreuth. It is suggested that the cause is smoking and brandy. It is said he consumed a frightful quantity of liquor daily, and often falls asleep in the theater. He has broken off with the Princess Wiscenstein, who has become a devotee. Abbe Liszt will retire to Weimar and end his days there.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 16.—Russia has dispatched a gunboat to the Commander Islands to prevent an Englishman named Snow, who is fitting out two vessels, from resuming the capture of sea otters, an industry monopolized by the Russians. Russia confiscated a schooner belonging to Snow in 1883.

London, Aug. 16.—A fire started yesterday afternoon in the evening factory of James Hodgson, in Little Trinity lane, by the bursting of a gas-engine. Before the employees succeeded in leaving the building all the ways of escape except by the windows were cut off. Many were compelled to jump from the street and several, including women, were injured thereby. The adjoining building, occupied by William Chase & Co., American merchants, was destroyed. The loss is £250,000.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 16.—Three deaths of a remarkable character have occurred near this city. The deaths were caused by blood-poisoning induced by the stings of flies, which had been in contact with cattle infected with the rinderpest.

Paris, Aug. 16.—The report published by the Matin that the Hovas recaptured Tamatave on the 3d instant is declared to be unfounded. Admiral Mot reports from Tamatave, August 9, that the condition of all the French posts in Madagascar is satisfactory.

Paris, Aug. 16.—The advocate for Madame Patti presented her petition yesterday for a divorce from her husband, the Marquis de Gaus. The prevailing opinion expressed by the bar is that the court will refuse to grant a divorce on the ground that the law reserves the right of divorce to such applicants as have received injury in the marriage relation.

Cairo, Aug. 16.—The whole of the Gordon relief expedition will be pushed forward to Wady-Halfa speedily. It will proceed direct from Suvaich to Dongola. There are plenty of boats on the Nile, both below and above the cataracts, for the transportation of the troops.

London, Aug. 16.—The Chinese dispatches state that Patenteur, the French Minister to China, declares that the French have no intention of interfering at Shanghai.

Paris, Aug. 16.—Rumors are flying about the lobbies of the deputies that the French flag-ship suffered severely during the bombardment of Keelung. It is reported also that the French were repulsed when they landed and failed to spike the guns.

London, Aug. 16.—Henry Irving, Ellen Terry and fifty others of the Lyceum Theater Company will sail for Montreal on September 18 in the steamer Parisian. Madam Terry sails from Liverpool for New York on Saturday by the steamer Oregon. The rest of Maurice Grau's company will sail the same day from Havre by the steamer St. Laurent.

Capoul, the tenor, is to marry a daughter of a wealthy landowner.

It Might Have Been Worse. Cincinnati, Aug. 16.—A danger on the forward trucks of a locomotive, pulling an express passenger train, broke at ten o'clock Thursday night between Zion and Verona, Ky., and the engine dashed down a fifteen-foot embankment, dragging with it the postal baggage and two express cars, and demolishing the whole train. The engineer and fireman were caught in the debris of the engine and seriously hurt, but no other persons were seriously injured, though the excitement among the ruly awakened travelers was intense for a time.

General Butler's Letter. Boston, Aug. 16.—General Butler's letter of acceptance, or address to the people of the United States, has been practically completed, and, contrary to general expectation, it may see the light before the production of the anticipated epistle from Cleveland. The Butler manifesto is said to be a document of great length. The General takes in the whole vocabulary of National questions, from Mormonism down to the preservation of the Mississippi levees.

Boistering Up the Transcontinental. New York, Aug. 16.—A few days ago Kuhn, Loeb & Co. sold out the Oregon & Transcontinental stock which they held as collateral for a loan of \$250,000. The sale broke the market, and yesterday the company offered to pay the loan on condition that the collateral would be recalled.

Time Wins. Philadelphia, Aug. 16.—In attempting to lower their records at Belmont Park, Friday, Jay-Eye-Sue made the mile in 2:10 1/2 and Phyllis in 2:14 1/2.

STATE OF TRADE.

Very Little Improvement in the Condition of Market During the Week—The Future Recruit.

New York, Aug. 16.—Special dispatches to Bradstreet's from leading trade centers throughout the United States do not indicate any general increase in the degree of commercial activity. The gains previously noted are still maintained, and at a few cities, notably St. Louis and points in Kansas, and in the Northwest, there appears to be some excess in parched by interior merchants as compared with the preceding week.

This is confessedly based on the excellent harvest throughout the country tributary thereto. Minnesota and Dakota prices for wheat set by the Minneapolis Milling Association have been placed at seventy-seven cents and seventy-two cents, respectively for No. 1 hard and for No. 1, delivered in Minneapolis. This will leave the net price to farmers from fifty-two cents upward, according to grade, and does not include the continued full receipts. The grain markets at the East have been bearish with a short intermission when manipulation had more to do with the advance than anything else. The general outlook does not favor higher prices for wheat, which have declined 1 1/2 cents on the week. Indian corn is stronger than wheat, owing to diminishing supplies, but has sympathized with wheat and has lost 1 1/2 cents since the 11th inst. The market has been advanced by the bull clique who have cornered pork at Chicago, and who are doing a like service for ribs. A decline in supplies of hogs and a more moderate demand for them have helped the advance. The general dry-cure market has been fairly active, but at very low prices.

There has been a good general demand for wool, but operations have been on a less extensive scale than last week. Values have been well maintained.

There were 294 failures in the United States reported during the past week as compared with 276 in the preceding week, and with 174, 143 and 74 respectively in the corresponding weeks of 1883, 1882 and 1881. Canada had 16, a decrease of 8.

New York, Aug. 16.—Failures throughout the country during the past seven days, as reported by R. G. Dun & Co.: Number in the United States, 294; in England, 17; total, 311, as against 293 last week, showing a decrease of 12. The casualties are still heavy in the Pacific States. Other sections of the country are about up to the average, and light in Canada.

AN OFFICIAL IN DANGER.

The Governor of Texas to Be Arrested for an Alleged Infraction of the Federal Laws.

Galveston, Tex., Aug. 16.—A warrant was yesterday issued by United States Commissioner Spain for the arrest of John Ireland, Governor of Texas, for a violation of section 5510 of the revised statutes of the United States. Emil Francois, upon whose deposition the warrant was issued, was convicted in 1879 under the anti-miscegenation statute of Texas and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. He is now in the custody of Judge Spain, of the United States Court, at Galveston. Francois is a wit of 11 years' experience. When the case was called for a hearing, the State announced that the Governor had granted clemency to Francois. Francois refused to accept the Governor's pardon, alleging that it did not restore him to citizenship, and he preferred to rely on the judgment rendered in the dismissal of the writ and his discharge from custody by the court as the best evidence of his liberty and citizenship. In his affidavit, Francois deposes that Ireland, as Governor of Texas, with the penitentiary officials, conspired for the purpose of depriving him of the rights and privileges secured by the Constitution and laws of the United States.

Returned to the World for Her Money.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 16.—Miss Lulu Taylor, an heiress, took the black veil yesterday, and for the second time in her life entered the Visitation Convent and renounced the world. When she attained her majority she inherited \$75,000, and upon first entering the convent conveyed the property by means of a deed of trust to her sisters, Miss Ida and Miss Theresa, and her brother George. She took \$5,000 to the convent, and it is alleged that influence was brought to bear on the girl to induce her to return to the world and claim her legacy. Last April she gave notice that she would return, but her sisters resisted her claim. She instituted suit, and the matter was compromised by her receiving back all her property. After waiting a few weeks she again entered the convent yesterday, taking all her money with her.

A Scheme of Mexican Plotters Unearthed.

St. Louis, Aug. 16.—A special telegram from the City of Mexico to the Globe-Democrat says a conspiracy against the Government has been discovered there. It embraces a plot to depose President Gonzalez and put in his place Jose Maria Iglesias, and to assassinate General Diaz and all leaders of what are known as the "Tusatepec party." The plot is said to be widespread in the States of Vera Cruz, Puebla, Oaxaca and Queretaro and that there is great public anxiety. A number of arrests have been made in the City of Mexico during the week, embracing several prominent persons, among them Francisco Mela, ex-Minister of Finance; Ricardo Rodriguez, ex-Judge of the Federal District; Gregorio Perez Jordon, a prominent lawyer; General Feliciano Chavarra, Colonel Jose Maria Rodriguez, D. E. Venz, Augustin Mendoza, Amador Dominguez, Ramon Juarez, Miguel Salcedo and Vidal Cortat.

Railroad Employes Score a Victory.

Oklahoma, Neb., Aug. 16.—A committee of the Denver Union Pacific shopmen arrived here yesterday and had a consultation with General Manager Clark. The result was that he issued an order restoring the old rates of wages at Ellis, Kan., returning the men who had been laid off at Denver, and ordering that if any reduction was necessary, it was to be made in the number of hours and not in wages. The reduction at Ellis and Denver was unauthorized by and unknown to Mr. Clark until the strike was announced in dispatches. It was made by master mechanics on their own responsibility. The men went out at Kansas City, Denver, Cheyenne, Rawlins and North Platte, in order to enforce the demands of the men at Ellis and Denver.

Suburban Democrats Unable to Unite.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 16.—The Democratic Convention of the Second Congressional District yesterday took nine more ballots, making 1,408, unsuccessfully. On the last ballot the vote was: Talbot, 6; Shaw, 5; Hopkins, 5, and Constable 4, each county voting for its own candidate. A sine die adjournment was taken, leaving the matter in the hands of the State Central Committee.

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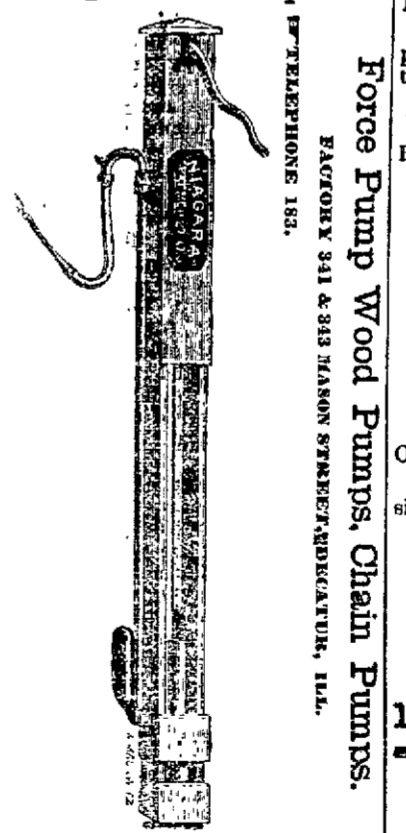
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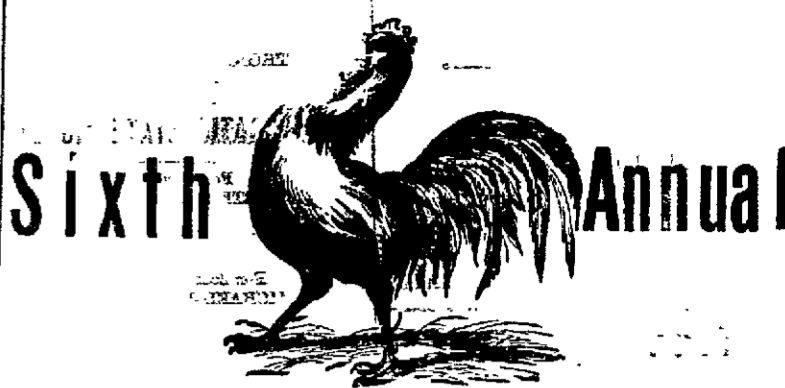
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One \$20 Man's Overcoat. One \$18 Youth's Overcoat.

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One \$18 Youth's Suit. One \$15 Zinc Trunk.

One \$15 Man's Ulster. One \$15 Oil Stove.

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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

The democrats of Mason county will meet in representative convention at the court house in Decatur on

Thursday, August 28th, 1894,

at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of nominating candidates for each of the following offices: For current clerk, states attorney, coroner, and representatives in the general assembly for the 29th district.

For the election of delegates as above denoted the democracy of the county are requested to send delegates—three at large for each precinct, and one for each 100 votes or fraction thereof cast for Hancock.

The various precincts will be entitled to delegates as follows:

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Long Creek, Madison, 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th

Shiloh, 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th

St. Louis, 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th

Union, 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th

West View, 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th

Whitewater, 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th

Charmers of township committees are requested to call meetings at once for the election of delegates, and see that their precincts are fully represented. By order of democratic county central committee, E. A. House, Chairman

Decatur, Illinois, August 14, 1894

HON. JASON ROGERS has no money to bet on the election of his friend Dick Oglesby.

HARPER'S WEEKLY says of Mr. Blaine that "he has deliberately prostituted public office for private gain."

Here is a chance for Mr. Blaine to ader a libel suit by telegraph.

In conversation with a leading republican license man we were told that the democrats were anxious that license should be given, because it would drive 800 republicans into the prohibition party.

The plain direct charges made by prominent and responsible men and newspapers that Mr. Blaine prostituted official position to private gain, should call for a libel suit by telegraph. These statements are made boldly and emphatically.

REPUBLICAN prohibitionists say that if Curry Johns is nominated for states attorney, that they will nominate Davy Lew Bann for that office, and make a three cornered fight of it. The bosses are half inclined to sacrifice Farmer Johns.

Mr. Mosser says: "The republican party, judged by its acts, stands without a peer in the history of this country." Mr. Mosser did not say that these acts were "salary grab, credit mobiler, whiskey ring, star routes, and general official corruption."

In the spring of 1893, the republicans of this city urged that inasmuch as they were largely in the majority, they should elect republicans to the city offices, that the responsibility might be placed somewhere. They are not anxious for the responsibility now.

The republicans are now said to be in a great quandary about a candidate for the legislature. Many of them are willing to sacrifice both Crocker and Keller and take a man from the city who can better control the saloon vote. Look out for strange developments within ten days!

The anti-license aldermen say in defense of their course in staying away, that they attended the last regular meeting, and had the license question been presented they would have met it without running; that the mayor kindly voted with them to postpone the matter to a further time, and that they were not elected to attend special meetings at \$30 per night to grant license. They say that if Mayor Chambers wishes to vote for license, he will have to do it at a regular meeting. They say, however,

that they are glad to have him with them at regular meetings, even if he should be for license at special meetings, when there is no quorum.

The laboring classes constitute the main part of our population. They should be protected in their efforts peaceably to assert their rights when endangered by aggregated capital, and all statutes on this subject should recognize the care of the state for honest toil, and be framed with a view of improving the condition of the workingman.—Grover Cleveland.

Judge Mason, of Ontario county, N. Y., and law partner of Secretary Folger, says of Blaine: "He is a man who as speaker of the house of representatives, volunteered to make a ruling upon a motion affecting a land grant in the interest of parties benefited by the grant, and who immediately afterwards importuned the parties benefited for pecuniary compensation for his official act, and took it." Here is a chance for a libel suit. Judge Mason is responsible, and Mr. Blaine should order a suit at once, by telegraph.

Blaine and the "Catholic Vote"

The politicians seem to take it for granted that James G. Blaine will be "strong with the Catholics." "Is he not the son of a Catholic mother?" they inquire; "and is he not the father-in-law of a Papal Zouave?" If the so-called "Catholic vote" were governed by the prejudices of an old woman, the political discernment of a dade, and the instincts of a snob, the politicians might be accurate in their prognostications.

But Catholics are American citizens as well as members of a religious denomination. They are affiliated with parties and pledged to principles like all other American citizens, and because certain ancestors of a candidate were Catholics, it by no means follows that the Catholic vote is going to stampede to that candidate.

More particularly is this the case, if the candidate in question, has neglected to keep the pious lessons of his ancestors, if, in fact, he is ashamed to carry the beads of his Catholic parents.

Let James G. Blaine be supported for anything else than for his Catholicism, for in nothing else is his record less inviting to the genuine man and less commendable to the thoroughly sensible Catholic.—Catholic Citizen.

Judge F. O. Mason, long Judge of Ontario County, in New York, and law partner of Secretary Folger, who was a delegate to the Garfield Convention in 1880, a man of high character and learning, writes to the Geneva Gazette, New York:

"I think that in this instance the democratic party has not made a mistake. It seems to have correctly apprehended the real demand of the people, which is for administrative reform, and to have met that demand by the character of its candidates. Cleveland has not yet had a long career, but it has been long enough to show that he possesses honesty and courage, that he regards office as a public trust for the benefit of the people, and not merely for a party; that he is sincere in his desire to reform the civil service and remove it from partisan control, and is in favor of honest government economically administered. As to Blaine, he is a man who, as Speaker of the House of Representatives, volunteered to make a ruling upon a motion affecting a land grant in the interest of parties to be benefited by the grant, and who immediately afterward importuned the parties benefited for pecuniary compensation for his official action, and took it. He adopted for himself a standard of morals in official life so demoralizing and degrading as to lead to the ruin of the republic. He represents all that is lowest in tone, most reprehensible in methods, and most reckless in spirit in the republican party. Apart from his moral unfitness, he lacks the poise of character, the just balance of high talents, essential to a wise and judicious executive. He has shown no sympathy with civil service reform or any other reform, and his chief public utterances upon current topics since his retirement to private life consist of a justification for repudiators in Virginia, and of a proposition for the distribution of the surplus moneys in the treasury—the most mischievous and demoralizing in character ever offered for public consideration. To select such a candidate to bear the standard of reform is to assail reform with burlesque."

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Attention Knights Templar.

All are requested to meet at the Armory in Masonic Temple, on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock sharp, to prepare for going to Marion on Tuesday the 19th inst. Tickets for the round trip will be on sale at the temple, and at Armstrong's drug store.

N. L. Krohn, R.

Democrats who wish to organize a Campaign Glee Club will please report their names to Prof. Westhoff, at Luan & Scroggs.

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Who was the bag of wind? Was it John or the traveling man? We leave it to the crowd.

A Few Words from Mr. Priest in Relation to It.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Judge Gallagher left last night for Washington, D. C.

Mr. C. L. Griswold has returned home from a visit to Leon, Iowa.

Lieut. Z. Prather, of Long Creek, was in town yesterday on business.

A. F. Smith, of the State Sentinel, delivered an address at Niantic last evening.

Miss Annie Lytle, of South Lebanon, O., is in the city, a guest of Miss Mollie Deal.

Mr. A. C. Dreabach, editor of the Illinois Union, is spending Sunday with relatives in Decatur.

Billy Downing went to Clinton yesterday to look after the race horses he shipped Friday.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rigney, who reside at 1319 E. Eldorado street, is dangerously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Roe have returned home from a trip to Virginia, where they enjoyed a splendid time.

Laban Keyes, assistant general passenger agent of the P. D. & E., was in the city yesterday afternoon.

George Larash, a telegraph operator of Alton, was in the city yesterday. He is a brother of Conductor John Larash, the P. D. & E.

Miss Minnie Stickle, of Long Creek, was in the city yesterday calling on friends and shopping among our merchants.

Eli Mosely will go to Mattoon tomorrow and take charge of the P. D. & E., eating house. Eli has had a great deal of experience in the hotel business.

Wesley Shull, father of Frank Shull the insurance agent, arrived here yesterday from Washington Territory, where he has been for the past year for the benefit of his health.

Dave Demorest, the popular Wash conductor, will resume his run on the Jacksonville accommodation tomorrow morning. He has just returned from an extended western trip with his family.

Mr. George Lehman has been on the sick list since his return from Iowa. He attributes his indisposition to "Iowa water," which, in view of the fact that prohibition (?) prevails in that state, may give rise to a joke at Frank's expense some of these days.

Mr. Ben. Dill is in the city again, having returned from Kansas a few days since. Each recurring visit tends to strengthen the growing suspicion that there is a local attraction in Decatur which has its effect on Ben's compass, and causes it to point hitherwards.

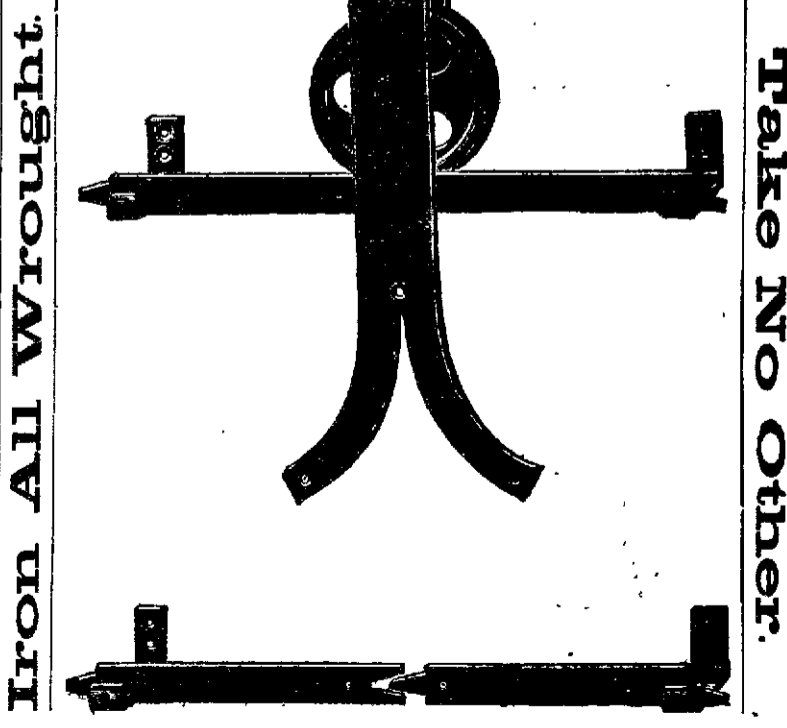
Mr. W. W. Bahney, of LaPlaca, a sterling democrat and a very clever gentleman, was in the city yesterday, and gave us a friendly call. He expects to take a tour through the southwest in a couple of weeks, with a view to purchasing a farm and making his future home in Kansas or Missouri.

Sullivan Burgess left yesterday for St. Paul, where he will be joined by Hon. E. O. Smith and together they will take the Northern Pacific route for Portland, Oregon. From there they will proceed by steamer to San Francisco and from there to San Jose. Mr. Burgess will remain there during the winter for the benefit of his health.

The customers dealing in M. J. Hogan's new harness shop, No. 106, corner Franklin and East Main, say that any person wanting harness cannot go out of his shop without buying or leaving an order for a set, his prices are so low. Fine track, or double brake, or coach a specialty. Repairing neatly and cheaply done. He shows up with 9 orders for light harness, all hand made. Call and learn prices. alid&wlv

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Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

BY VIRTUE of an order and decree of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, Michael Elson, executor of the last will and testament of William Cantrell, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the July term, A. D. 1884, of said court, to-wit: on the fourth day of August, 1884, I shall on the Thirteenth day of September, next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the real estate described in the to-wit: Forty (40) feet off of the east end of lots Eight (8) and Nine (9), in block Two (2), in Bader's addition to the town, now city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, on the following terms, to-wit: One-half cash in hand on day of sale, and the balance in six months from day of sale with seven per cent. interest, the purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the deferred purchase money.

Dated this 15th day of August, A. D. 1884.

MICHAEL ELSON, Executor of the last will and testament of William Cantrell, deceased.

JOSIAH M. CLOVER, Attorney for Executor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Harriet Old Abe.

Abraham Lincoln had a strong back. Others have been Ben's Caprine Porcus Plasters 25 cents.

OFFICERS of the late war who were refused pay for the time between dates of commission and discharge, will find it to their interest to communicate promptly and with PARTICULARS, with McNEILL & HINCH, Attorneys and Solicitors, Drawer 62, Washington, D. C. No fees in advance; honorable discharging; highest references.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon Co. Cir. Court Allen C. Watson, Plaintiff vs. Fannie A. Brown, et al Case No. 11934. In Chancery.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in and out of the May term, A. D. 1884, I, John A. Brown, master in chancery for said court, on

Saturday, September, 30th, A. D. 1884, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., or said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, together with all and singular the tenements and appurtenances thereunto in anywise belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, August 15th, 1884.

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

The public schools will open in about two weeks.

Hog cholera is raging violently in the vicinity of Hillsboro.

The Cleveland and Hendricks Club hat at B. Stine's. d&w-tf

The Champaign county fair will commence on August 26th.

The sun was scorching hot yesterday. Everybody complained.

The democratic county convention will be held in this city a week from Thursday.

The "kindergarten" will make another attempt to transact business tomorrow evening.

Lord & Taylor, of New York, says that Raven Glass is the best, for sale by J. W. Baker. alidtf

Indiana block coal at all times at Bryan & Hummel's, 155 Merchant St., telephone 196. 10tf

Wm. Bryley paid a fine of three dollars and costs yesterday to Squire Curtis, for disorderly conduct.

John Anar has decided to dispose of his grocery stock, and return to his old position at D. H. Heilman's.

The Decatur creamery has been lying idle for many weeks, with no prospect of starting up very soon.

Forepaugh will exhibit at Springfield to-day and to-morrow morning will pass through here for Danville.

A fine draft horse, valued at \$250 and belonging to Mr. George Hunsley, died yesterday morning of lock-jaw.

The water will be shut off this afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock in order that some repairs can be made at the works.

The property owners on West Wood street will soon be kicking at the grade being established for sidewalks.

John Fry was fined three dollars and costs yesterday by Squire Lowry for intoxication. He paid the assessment.

Henry Swan has sold his house and lot in Evans' addition to George S. Harnsberger for a consideration of \$1,300.

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Dr. Pearson, the state veterinarian, has been ordered by Governor Hamilton to enforce a strict quarantine against Texas cattle, at Clinton.

The Wabash hospital managers have decided to locate that institution at Springfield. Decatur would have been the proper place for it.

For a good shave or hair cut, go to W. Ermentrout's barber shop, under National bank. Four first-class barbers. Give him a call. alid&w

The ladies of the United Brethren church will give a festival at their church next Thursday night, the 21st, where they hope to see their friends.

Mrs. K. Einstein will open a branch of her extensive millinery and fancy goods establishment at Niantic next week, where she will have a full and fine stock of all latest style of goods.

Mrs. Jane Ward swore out a warrant yesterday for the arrest of Nicholas Laux, who she charges with selling liquor in less quantity than a gallon. The case will be tried Tuesday.

Big drive in Gents' Low Cut Shoes at L. L. Ferris & Co's. Go there now. Also their Gents' \$3.00 high cut, stylish shoes, with their name and price stamped in the sole, are new, good and unequal anywhere. al18d&wtf

Farmers and others having need of new wagon, carriage or buggy harness, or having any repair work they wish done, should call on H. Wisheim, in Perl's Block, where they will get the best of stock and work at very reasonable prices. d16w1

Don't fill the system with quinine in the effort to prevent or cure fever and ague. Ayer's Ague Cure is a far more potent preventive and remedy, with the advantage of leaving in the body no poisons to produce dizziness, deafness, headache, and other disorders. The proprietors warrant it. al2d&wlv

Young, old, and middle-aged, all experience the wonderful beneficial effects of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Young children suffering from sore eyes, sore ears, scald head or with any scrofulous or syphilitic taint, may be made healthy and strong by its use. al2d&wlv

Bridges, the painter and decorator is crowded with work, but he wants a thousand more rooms to paper and repair. If he has not the help to get through, he will promptly get more of it. Anything in the papering, decorating, painting of calcimining will strike him. He carries a full stock of papers, paints and oils at his store on North Main street. al18tf

ANTIOTON mountings for harness are the best in use. Will never rust or change their color. If you want the best call and examine the ANTIOTON. For sale only by J. G. Starr & Son. j22d&tf

We have received from Mr. Geo. H. Murray, agent of "Burr Oaks," a handsome little theatrical date book for the season of 1884 and 1885. "Burr Oaks," which is a romantic drama in five acts, will probably be produced in Decatur during the present season.

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Hiram Peverley has been appointed administrator of the estate of Joe S. Brown deceased. He filed a bond in the sum of \$5,000.

John Miller, the young colored man who was arrested the other evening by Officer Bailey for threatening the life of Ed. Frances, gave bond yesterday to keep the peace in the sum of \$25.

For family groceries as cheap as the cheapest, and as good as the best, go to John T. Montgomery's, corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets. Goods delivered to any part of the city. al18tf

On Friday the ten day Methodist camp-meeting will commence at the fair grounds. Over a hundred tents have been rented and the managers of the affair anticipate a big attendance, and a meeting from which much good will result.

Myra Bryant was arrested yesterday by Marshal Mason on a warrant charging her with keeping an assignation house on the corner of Front and Eldorado streets, up stairs. She gave bond in the sum of \$50 for her appearance on Tuesday.

The funeral of David Shellabarger took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on North Main street, and was largely attended. Rev. W. H. Webster, of Stapp's Chapel, conducted the sad services. The remains were interred in Greenwood cemetery.

New fall goods just received of the latest design and will be made upon the latest style. Look at the appearance of my coats on the street, and it will convince you of where you ought to get your clothes made, and that is at James Veale's, the French Outfit from Cork, 142 Prairie street. He does not deny his nationality. a9-3m

A meeting of persons desirous of organizing a Jeffersonian club was held at the democratic club rooms opposite the First M. E. church last night. The names of a large number of members were taken, reports of committees were heard etc., and the committee on enrollment given till Tuesday evening next to report. Adjourned to meet at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening.

The democracy of Boody and vicinity held a rousing meeting in the new town hall at that place last evening. An immense crowd was present and the deepest interest was taken in the speeches of I. A. Buckingham and A. G. Webster, of this city. Frequent and loud bursts of applause greeted their remarks. The democracy of Boody are enthusiastic and expect to poll a full vote for their ticket this fall. The interest everywhere manifested unerringly points to a renewal of energy and a change of the liberal minded voters to the democratic side.

Saturday afternoon, August 24, Mr. J. F. Forbes, general agent for the Geiser Manufacturing Company, of Waynesboro, Penn., submitted one of their "Peerless" engines to the most severe test of its power, drawing heavy loads on the farm and under the supervision of Mr. Henry Flood. It drew Mr. Flood's hay press, weighing 5,000 pounds, with all four wheels securely locked, handling it in a manner that was in the highest degree satisfactory to Mr. Flood. The latter then asked that a still further test be applied which was to have all the wheels of the press "rough locked" with 6x8 scantling, which was done, and it was pulled with the greatest ease. The engine was sold to Elias Dunkle & Co., who are now operating it on their farm near Embury, in this county, drawing a gang of six plows. The work is entirely satisfactory to Mr. Dunkle, and the plowing by steam is attracting a great many farmers and others to witness it. This engine never was beaten in a test. It took first premium at Louisville Exposition, at Atlanta, Georgia, and \$500 in gold at Cincinnati. It is for sale by the enterprising implement dealers, Archer & Locher, of this city. dw

A Trip Over the Frisco Line. The Review is now in a position to "speak by the card" concerning the advantages offered, the accommodations afforded, the scenery and attractions presented by this popular line of southwestern travel—one of the proprietors having but recently returned from a somewhat extended trip over it. It is not overrated. It is thoroughly equipped, admirably conducted, and affords passengers a comfort equal if not superior to any road west of the Father of waters. The scenery along the entire line is varied, and for the greater part delightful, while many points of interest are reached, much fine country traversed, and superior facilities afforded tourists to see the country. It is the best route to reach the celebrated Eureka Springs and Rogers Springs—two of the most popular resorts for invalids in the country. Its business is immense, and constantly increasing, and the Frisco Line well deserves the enviable popularity it enjoys. Persons contemplating a trip west or southwest should not fail to call on George Lower, traveling land agent, in this city. His office is on Prairie street, nearly opposite the postoffice.

Democratic Club Meeting. There will be a meeting of the Democratic Club of this city at the new club rooms on Tuesday evening, Aug. 19th, for the purpose of organization. A general turn out of those desiring to become members is desired. Speeches from local speakers will be made. A gleecub will be organized.

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